

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

2 Northern District of California

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4 TV INTERACTIVE

5 Plaintiff(s),

6 v.

7 SONY CORP.

8 Defendant(s).
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No. C 09-04755 MEJ

**10 ORDER DIRECTING PLAINTIFF TO
11 FILE CONSENT/DECLINATION
12 FORM**

13 Pending before the Court are Plaintiff's counsels' pro hac vice applications. Upon review of
14 the record in this action, the Court notes that Plaintiff has not filed a written consent to Magistrate
15 Judge James' jurisdiction. This civil case was randomly assigned to Magistrate Judge James for all
16 purposes including trial. In accordance with Title 28, U.S.C. § 636(c), the magistrate judges of this
17 district court are designated to conduct any and all proceedings in a civil case, including trial and
18 entry of final judgment, upon the consent of the parties. An appeal from a judgment entered by
19 Magistrate Judge James may be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth
20 Circuit in the same manner as an appeal from any other judgment of a district court.

21 You have the right to have your case assigned to a United States District Judge for trial and
22 disposition. Accordingly, Plaintiff shall inform the Court whether it consents to Magistrate Judge
23 James' jurisdiction or requests reassignment to a United States District Judge for trial. A copy of
24 both the consent and declination forms may be obtained from the Northern District of California's
25 website at <http://www.cand.uscourts.gov/>. From the homepage, click on the "Forms" tab on the left
margin, then choose "Civil." The consent/declination form shall be filed by October 29, 2009.

26 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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28 Dated: October 19, 2009


26 Maria-Elena James
27 Chief United States Magistrate Judge
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